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A RIOT IN NEW ORLEANS

BOISTEROUS NEGROES MAKE
BAD TROUBLE

ONE POLICEMAN WAS KILLED

And Others Were Wounded Before
Quiet Was Restored

New Orleans, La., Oct. 18.—A party of negroes barricaded themselves in a downtown house tonight and started a small riot.

One policeman was killed and several were wounded.

The trouble started in front of the Second German Presbyterian church, at Claiborne and Annette streets, during services tonight when several negroes became boisterous. Patrolman Campbells, who attempted to arrest them, was killed. The negroes ran to a nearby house, which they barricaded. With shotguns, revolvers, and razors they awaited the police, a few of whom gathered quickly and stormed the house. Sergeant Wheatley was mortally wounded and Patrolman Wenick and Corporal J. W. Dunn received serious wounds. Shortly before midnight the riot was still in progress and the police had not learned how the negro fighters fared. A company of local militia which happened to be drilling in front of police headquarters when the fighting was reported, volunteered for service and were rushed to the scene of the riot.

The riot ended after an hour and a half siege of the house by the police. The officers routing the negroes by burning them out, mortally wounding one and arresting five others.

Patrolman Campbells was killed by a knife thrust, and his body lay for a considerable time in front of the barricaded house, no one daring to move it. About half an hour after his death a small detail of police made a rush upon the house, more than half of them falling to the pavement, shot by the negroes behind the windows. The police were driven to shelter, carrying the wounded men with them.

After finding that threats and shooting were of no avail, the police set fire to the fence behind the house. The smoke drove the negroes from cover. They broke for safety singly. The first one out falling mortally wounded. The police seeing that the fight was over rushed in and searched the house. Six arrests, including the dying negro, were made. Some of the others arrested appeared to be badly injured.

As soon as the negroes had submitted, the police were forced to turn on a mob of about 1,000 and fight with all their energy against threatened wholesale lynchings.

MORE EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.

Registered on Seismographs in Washington and Berlin.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.—Another earthquake shock of much less violence than that of yesterday was recorded at the weather bureau today. It occurred shortly after 6 a. m. The bureau officials place the disturbance at approximately five thousand miles from Washington but are unable to estimate the direction.

Berlin, Oct. 17.—The seismograph at the observatory registered another extraordinary series of earthquakes lasting eight minutes. The reason of the disturbance could not be

ANOTHER INVESTIGATION.



—Landed in Columbus Dispatch.

AT THE CHURCHES TOMORROW.

Baptist Church—C. A. Ridley, Pastor.

Something interesting for the Sunday school in the morning, and everyone who is not present will regret it when it is too late. Be there on time and you will not miss anything. Bro. Ridley is home again and will have a word for the school.

At 11 a. m., Mr. Ridley will preach on "Why Christianity Cannot Fail." If you hear this talk you will never regret it. It represents much study, prayer and research.

There will be some announcements at both the morning and evening services that you will rejoice over. Come and bring your friends. Don't be afraid to ask a stranger to accompany you to church.

Remember the hour for the evening service is 7 o'clock instead of 7:30 as heretofore.

Polite ushers, comfortable pews, a splendid auditorium a free and easy spirit pervading every service make it a pleasure to worship at the Baptist church. Come with us and we will do thee good.

Presbyterian Church—J. F. Ford, Pastor.

Come to the Presbyterian church tomorrow and bring your friends with you. A most hearty and cordial welcome awaits every one. The pastor will speak at both hours, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The Sabbath school will meet as usual, at 3:30 in the afternoon.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

The Ladies' Missionary Society will meet in the church Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. This is the first meeting since the summer vacation, and every member is earnestly requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Methodist Church—H. Dutill, Pastor.

Tomorrow is Rally Day for the people called Methodist. All the services of the day will partake of Rally Day features, from the Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., to the Children's service at 7 p. m. Let every Methodist come and bring a friend.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching, "The Church and the Child."

2:30 p. m.—Junior League.

3:30 p. m.—Senior Epworth League.

7:00 p. m.—Rally Day Exercises.

Our New Hotel.

Our new hotel which, we learn, will be called "Hotel Suwannee," we have been informed has been leased to Messrs. J. M. Pearson and W. S. Letcher, who are in the city looking after the details of the transaction. These gentlemen will furnish the building entirely with modern and up-to-date furniture and furnishings in every department. When finished and furnished, it will be one of the most comfortable, convenient and best equipped hostels in this section of the State. The building itself is a beauty, being large and commodious, and its location is all that could be desired. The gentlemen leasing the hotel are in no sense novices, but bring with them sufficient experience to guarantee a satisfactory management. Mr. Pearson, for several years, has been chief clerk of Valdes hotel at Valdosta, Ga., under the direction of his brother-in-law, Mr. Farnell. Mr. Letcher is recently from Kentucky, where he has enjoyed a successful career. Both are young and progressive business men, and the Democrat joins in extending to them a hearty welcome among us.

FRANCIS JOSEPH'S CONDITION.

Aged Emperor's Fever Has Taken Much Milder Form.

Vienna, Oct. 17.—The condition of Francis Joseph this evening is as follows: The catarrhal affection is slightly better, yet the coughing is frequent, dry and violent. The recurrence of the fever has taken a much milder form and now amounts to almost unnoticeable changes in the temperature of the patient. In spite of these improvements, however, the general condition of his majesty is not quite satisfactory because he experiences more fatigue.

The foregoing information was obtained from a trustworthy private source. It differs somewhat from the communications given out which represent the patient as improving daily, with satisfactory heart action and a regular strong pulse.

Let every body come.

Episcopal Church—Curtis Grubb, Rector.

Services at Episcopal church at 11 o'clock a. m.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m.

No evening services.

A Notable Entertainment.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wolfe was the scene of a very enjoyable occasion last evening when the Senior Epworth League entertained in honor of the Baptist Young Peoples' Union, and the strangers of the town. The house was beautifully and tastefully decorated with festoons of white and old gold, those being the League colors. Golden rods, cut flowers and palms also added much to the beauty of the decorations. This home is admirably adapted to entertainments of this kind, and Mrs. Wolfe and Miss Wolfe are ideal entertainers. Quite a nice program had been arranged, and every number was a treat. The first number on the program was a song in which everybody joined; this was followed by the Scripture reading by Rev. Pasco, and the prayer by Rev. Dutill. Special mention must be made of the pleasing manner in which the little Misses Helen Wolfe and Olivia Evans rendered their part of the program. They show promise of great talent. The instrumental solo by Miss Lucy Dutill was very much enjoyed, and the vocal solo by Miss Roberson was a treat in itself. The humorous recitation by Miss Maggie Holmes was faultlessly delivered. The last but by no means the least number on the program was a quartette, "Love Me and the World Is Mine," by Misses Sue Hemming, Blanche Wolfe, Vivian Evans and Mr. Herbert Wolfe. A very novel and interesting form of amusement was then introduced. Each guest was handed a blank card with a tiny pencil attached. On this card was written the League motto and the word, "Autographs." Formal introductions were then dispensed with and each one soon knew the other having secured his signature. Dainty refreshments were then served consisting of lemonade, cake and gelatine served with whipped cream. The social committee, consisted of Misses Vivian Evans, Vernie Bryan, Virgie Haddock and Dr. Price, who arranged this entertainment deserves great credit for the manner in which they carried it out. At a late hour the many guests reluctantly bade goodnight to their charming hostess, expressing their many thanks for such a pleasant evening.

How meek and lowly a girl is during courtship and how strenuous after marriage.

SOLDIERS' TRAIN WRECK

NEAR MARIANNA ENTIRE TRAIN
DERAILED

NO ONE WAS SERIOUSLY HURT

Wreck Said to Be One of the Worst
For Many Months

A special to the Times-Union from Pensacola, dated Oct. 18, says: "The first section of the five special trains bearing the Florida State Troops to Pensacola for the encampment was wrecked this afternoon on the P. & A. division of the L. & N. railroad. The wreck, occurring near Marianna. A number of the soldiers are reported as being slightly injured but none of the injuries so far as can be learned are serious.

The train was running at a high rate of speed when a flange of a wheel on the forward truck of the baggage car broke.

The accident occurred at a curve and the truck swung across the track remaining and carrying the trucks from underneath every coach and sleeper, excepting the last truck on the last sleeper. The engine and all the cars left the track, but none overturned, and reports here tonight are that with the exception of bruises about the head and body of a half dozen soldiers, no serious injuries were suffered. But little information can be obtained, however, as the L. & N. officials are all busy in an effort to clear away the wreckage.

A special train was sent to the point to bring the troops of the wrecked train to the city, but this special is not expected to reach here before early in the morning. The remaining four sections of the troop trains will be taken by the Seaboard Air Line to Montgomery and there transferred to the L. & N., reaching here probably tomorrow afternoon. There is no prospect of the track being repaired within eighteen hours, the wreck being one of the worst to occur in many months."

DEAD WISCONSIN SOLDIERS.

Their Memory Honored at Andersonville, Georgia.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 17.—A special to the Telegraph from Andersonville, Ga., says: Gov. James O. Davidson and staff, with a large party of civilians from Wisconsin, were here today, and dedicated the monument erected by the state of Wisconsin at a cost of \$10,000 to the memory of the Wisconsin soldiers who died at the Andersonville prison during the civil war and are buried in the national cemetery here. The number of the known dead from Wisconsin is 378. The monument is made of Georgia granite and is surmounted by a bronze eagle of large dimensions. The chief inscription on it reads: "Let us have peace."

The monument commission, D. J. James, president, C. H. Russell, secretary and Lansing Williams accompanied the party.

The principal addresses were delivered by Gov. Davidson, Adj. Gen. C. R. Boardman and Judge L. H. Bancroft. The monument was presented by President James to Gov. Davidson, who received it and delivered it into the care of the National Woman's Relief Corps, which has charge of the prison park. The keynote of the addresses was "Let us have peace."

Gov. Davidson and party left for Macon, where they will spend the night. At 4 o'clock tomorrow morning they will go to Atlanta, where they will spend two days.